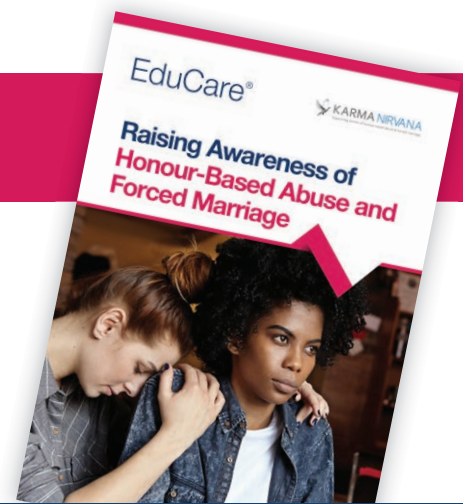


## Raising Awareness of Honour-Based Abuse and Forced Marriage

This course was written in partnership with Jasvinder Sanghera CBE, founder of Karma Nirvana, and British-born survivor of forced marriage and honour-based abuse. Karma Nirvana is a national award-winning charity that supports both men and women affected by forced marriage and/or honour-based abuse.



### Key features

- Level 2 course (as graded against the nationally accepted levels, equivalent to GCSE grades A\* - C)
- One module with a multiple-choice questionnaire
- Two CPD credits\*
- Optional narration of the course module and questionnaire for accessibility
- Personalised downloadable certificate
- 70% pass mark
- Printable module for future reference

\*1 CPD credit equals up to 1 hour of learning

### Course content

- Understand what honour-based abuse is as well as the different terms used to describe it.
- Motives that may prompt a forced marriage as well as a look at the differences between a forced marriage and an arranged marriage.
- Government definitions of coercive and controlling behaviour, and how these are used in an honour system.
- A look at two case studies and their consequences where young girls were used as part of a promise of future marriage.
- Helpline statistics from Karma Nirvana, including top calling areas and other significant statistics.
- Information on what the Forced Marriage Unit (FMU) is, including cases where the FMU provided support. Statistics on countries with the highest number of cases in 2017.
- A look at the law including when being forced to marry is a criminal offence and other offences that may result in someone being prosecuted.
- Information on Forced Marriage Protection Orders (FMPO) which protects both children and adults at risk of being forced into marriage as well as offering protection for those already in a forced marriage.
- A look at potential warning signs that may indicate someone is experiencing honour-based abuse.
- Barriers faced by victims of honour-based abuse and details on how someone gains honour and breaks honour.
- Further contacts and guidance to help support those who encounter honour-based abuse and forced marriage.

### This course is suitable for

Anyone who wants to learn more about honour-based abuse and forced marriage.

## Key features

- Visually engaging and highly interactive
- Thought-provoking case studies that help learners get to grips with the real life consequences of forced marriage
- Answer explanations for those who achieve the pass mark
- Additional resources to expand learning, including posters created by Karma Nirvana to help increase awareness about honour-based violence and forced marriage.

## Pricing options

1. Available as a standalone course on the EduCare website.
2. Buy as part of our EduCare for Education multi-course licence for educational establishments. For further information, please call 01926 436212 to discuss purchase options and licences.

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### What is honour-based abuse?

Whilst growing up, a child is taught a set of behaviours that are deemed to be honourable. If they display any dishonourable behaviours they will be punished by their family or by members of their community for, or allegedly for, undermining what the family or community believes to be the correct code of behaviour.

The terms 'honour crime', 'honour-based abuse' or 'izzat', translates as honour in Urdu and Punjabi dialect. All encompass a variety of crimes of abuse, mainly but not exclusively, against women. This can include assault, imprisonment and murder.



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### The top four countries with the highest number of cases in 2017

The number of cases relating to Pakistan has decreased by almost 8% in comparison to the previous year. The biggest shift has occurred in Somalia, where the number of cases has increased over 100% year-on-year\*. 10% of cases related to potential and actual forced marriage that took place in the UK with no overseas element.

Country	Cases
Pakistan	439 cases
Bangladesh	129 cases
India	82 cases
Somalia	91 cases

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### Warning signs

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In an education setting, a young person may:

4. have a decline in behaviour and engagement



## Why choose us?

Honour Based Abuse (HBA), constitutes an array of criminal offences including Forced Marriage, are serious violations of human rights, often affecting young, vulnerable girls and women. It is imperative that we have training and guidance to equip those who have contact with young people to better understand the concealed criminal behaviours and child abuse that is taking place. It is only by identifying and understanding HBA will society be able to improve our outlook to appreciate the real difficulties victims find themselves in, alienated by those who are supposed to care for them. We all need to do so much more to properly safeguard the most vulnerable in our society, and I support this online course (that accompanies an existing course on FGM) to assist those in educational establishments tackle HBA. ”

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